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SUBJECT: KADUNA SISTER CITY SELECTIONS

REFERENCE: SMITH COMMERCIAL CABLE TRAIL, 01-03-75

1. MAYOR SLOANE OF LOUISVILLE INFORMED SISTER CITIES INTERNATIONAL ON JANUARY 3 THAT LOUISVILLE CANNOT NOW UNDERTAKE ANY NEW S.C. RELATIONSHIPS. LOUISVILLE MUST DECLINE OPPORTUNITY TO AFFILIATE WITH KADUNA.

2. AS LETTER FROM MAYOR SLOANE (POUCHED), WILL INDICATE, DECISION BY LOUISVILLE NOT DEVELOPING ANY ADDITIONAL AFFILIATIONS DUE TO (A) INTERNAL EVENTS WITHIN LOUISVILLE AND (B) NEED TO STRENGTHEN ITS TWO EXISTING AFFILIATION PROGRAMS. MAYOR SLOANE EXPRESSED HIS HIGH REGARD FOR MAGAJI MUHAMMED AND FOR KADUNA. HE REGRETS DELAY IN INFORMING KADUNA OF THIS NEGATIVE REPLY, AND ANY POSSIBLE COMPLICATIONS RESULTING FROM ITS TIMING.

3. TAA REITERATES STRONG WRITTEN COMMITMENT ON PART OF COMPTON, CA, TO EXTEND INVITATION AND HOPES KADUNA WILL SELECT COMPTON. HOWEVER, TAA WISHES INFORM MUHAMMED THAT IT WILL HELP KADUNA SELECT ALTERNATIVE TO COMPTON, IF
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